

**MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE  
ON  
HEALTH POLICY**

Thursday, March 1, 2007

9:00 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Health Policy was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley.

Members absent/excused: Rep. Ward.

Representative Simpson moved to approve the minutes of the February 22, 2007 meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Janet Olszewski, Director of the Michigan Department of Community Health, testified on the Michigan First Healthcare Plan. Ms. Olszewski also submitted written testimony. Ms. Olszewski was joined by Fran Wallace of the Office of Financial and Insurance Services and Paul Reinhart of the Michigan Department of Community Health. Questions and discussion among committee members followed.

Representative Gaffney moved to excuse the absence of Representative Ward. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:15 a.m.

**Representative Kathy Angerer, Chair** \_\_\_\_\_

Dan Stump, Committee Clerk  
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